

**Amendments to the Abstract**

Replace the abstract with the following replacement abstract:

~~Described is a~~ A gusseted bag or flat bag ~~(200,201,212,214,217), which~~ is produced and filled by a form-fill-seal (FFS) machine. ~~and which~~ The bag has a tear-open perforation ~~(207,208,216)~~ located at least in the area of at least one of the corners of the bag. The ~~invention is characterized in that the~~ bag has a corner weld seal ~~(206)~~ in the area of at least one corner of the bag.

~~(Figure 1)~~